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A. Lincoln

RAIL-SPLITTER ★ LAWYER

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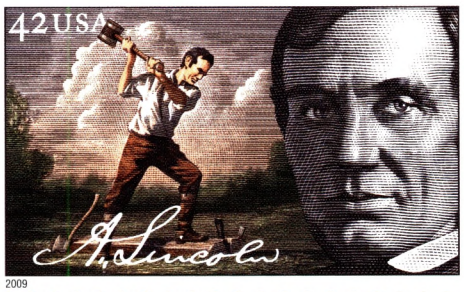

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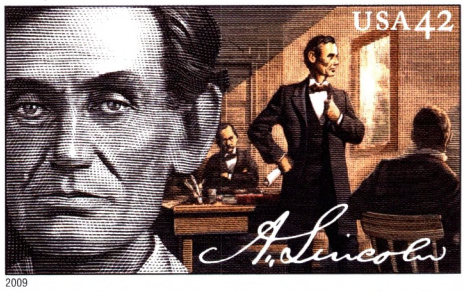

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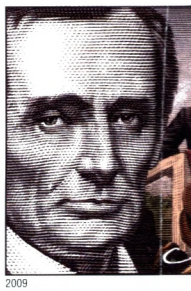

2009

A | Abraham Lincoln

The U.S. Postal Service celebrates the 200th anniversary of Abraham Lincoln's birth with these four stamps that feature different aspects of his life: rail-splitter, lawyer, politician and president. Stamp artist Mark Summers is noted for his scratchboard technique, a style distinguished by a dense network of lines etched with exquisite precision.

A Abraham Lincoln 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/9/09 at Springfield IL 62703
4 designs, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	464740
Block of 10	4.20	464730
Strip of 4	1.68	464720
** Uncut Press Sheet	50.40	464784
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	464763
Ceremony Program	6.95	464791
Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (4)	6.00	464768
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (4)	14.40	464799
Commemorative Folio w/Pane of 20	16.95	464774

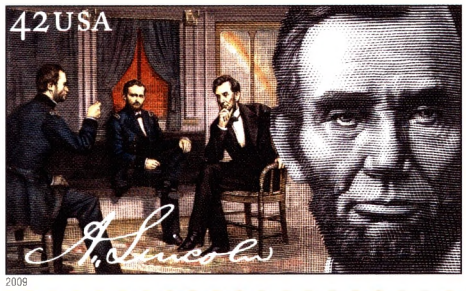
* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.
** Limit 5 per customer.

Celebrate the inauguration of our 44th president. See page 1 for details.

A Abraham Lincoln Commemorative Folio

Celebrate the man and his legacy with this exclusive folio from the U.S. Postal Service. Panels fold out into a period-inspired broadside of one of Lincoln's most famous speeches: the Gettysburg Address. Four biographical cards (5"x 7") highlight Lincoln as rail-splitter, lawyer, politician and president—perfect for framing. A pane of 20 stamps is also included.

★ POLITICIAN ★ PRESIDENT



BEYOND THE PERF

Happy New Year and welcome to the first issue of *USA Philatelic* for 2009! This year promises to be significant for many reasons—not the least of which is the inauguration in January of America's 44th president.

What better time to reflect on Abraham Lincoln, the man who led the nation through the most tumultuous crisis in its history and dedicated himself to ensuring that "government of the people, by the people, for the people, shall not perish from the earth"?

In February, the U.S. Postal Service commemorates the 200th anniversary of Lincoln's birth with the issuance of four stamps—each depicting a different aspect of his life and providing insight into the character of one of our nation's greatest leaders.

The first stamp, featuring Lincoln as rail-splitter, reminds us that Lincoln was of humble origins, born in a one-room log cabin and largely self-educated, driven by a love of learning and a determination to succeed. In the second stamp we see "Honest Abe," the lawyer who visited dozens of small towns on the judicial circuit and learned the concerns of citizens from all walks of life. The famous Lincoln-Douglas debates of 1858, depicted on the third stamp, highlight the emergence of Lincoln as a politician and his outspoken opposition to slavery. And the burdens Lincoln faced as President during the Civil War are expressed in the final stamp, showing him in conference with Generals Grant and Sherman.

Largely because of Lincoln, in the words of historian James McPherson, "the republic endured, and slavery perished." And 200 years later, after a historic presidential campaign, the leadership and vision of this great citizen could not be more relevant.

Finally, as we begin a new year, your *USA Philatelic* team has an exciting new resource for our subscribers: an online community. Join us and get the latest information on upcoming stamp issues, cancellations and products. See the circles at right for details.

William J. Gicker
Editor & Creative Director

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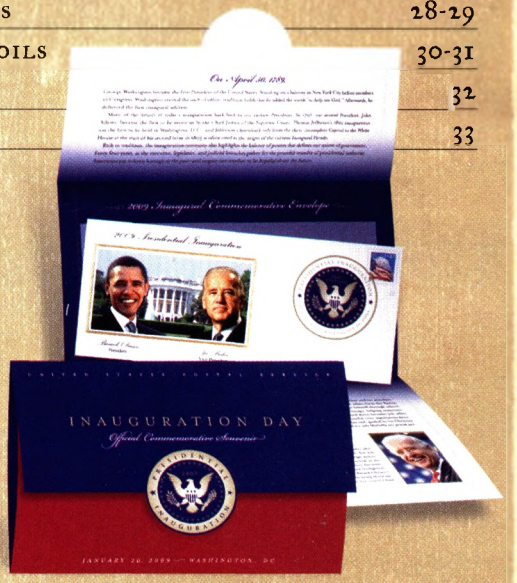

Inauguration Day Commemorative Folio

Preserve your own piece of history with an official souvenir from Inauguration Day 2009. This keepsake includes a commemorative color postmark and collectible stamped envelope with silk portraits of President Obama and Vice-President Biden.
$14.95 / 785974

Unless otherwise noted, all stamps are Self-Adhesive.

APU	Ashton-Potter (USA)
AVR	Avery Dennison
BCA	Banknote Corporation of America
BEP	Bureau of Engraving and Printing
GFD	Guilford Gravure Inc.
SVS	Stamp Venturers
SSP	Sennett Security Products

Also available as a self-adhesive booklet
Also available as a self-adhesive coil
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NEW ISSUES

SHOWN AT 300%

A | Celebrating Lunar New Year: Year of the Ox

For the second issuance in the new *Celebrating Lunar New Year* series, illustrator Kam Mak depicted a lion head which is often worn at parades and other festivities. Dancers also wear such heads (made of papier-mache or bamboo) as they perform for festival crowds.

SHOWN AT 25%

A Year of the Ox
Limited Edition Notecard Set
Celebrate the Year of the Ox with this set of 12 notecards. Featuring three designs by illustration team Heads of State, the notecards come packaged in a special box that also includes matching envelopes and a sheet of 12 stamps.

A Celebrating Lunar New Year: Year of the Ox 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 1/8/09 at New York NY 10199
1 design, offset (SSP)

Souvenir Sheet of 12	$5.04	573840
** Uncut Press Sheet	45.36	573884
First Day Cover	.80	573861
First Day Cover (Full Sheet)	7.54	573862
First Day Cancelled (Full Sheet)	7.54	573864
Ceremony Program	6.95	573891
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	573865
Souvenir Sheet of 12 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	6.54	573899
Limited Edition Notecard Set w/Envelopes & Stamps (12 of each)	13.95	573894

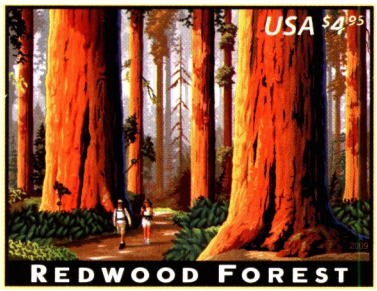
SHOWN AT 75%

B | Miami University Stamped Card

B Miami University Stamped Card 27¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/21/09 at Oxford OH 45056

Single Card	$.30	223540
Card w/First Day Cancellation	.40	223561
Ceremony Program	6.95	223591



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C & D | Redwood Forest & Old Faithful

Dan Cosgrove created the artwork for the new Priority and Express Mail stamps, highlighting two of America's unique natural wonders.

C Redwood Forest $4.95 (Priority Mail®)

DATE OF ISSUE: 1/09 at TBD
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$99.00	113440
* Block of 10 w/plate no.	49.50	113430
* Block of 4 w/plate no.	19.80	113420
Single	4.95	113410
First Day Cover	5.33	113461

D Old Faithful $17.50 (Express Mail®)

DATE OF ISSUE: 1/09 at TBD
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$350.00	113540
* Block of 10 w/plate no.	175.00	113530
* Block of 4 w/plate no.	70.00	113520
Single	17.50	113510
First Day Cover	17.88	113561

E Oregon Statehood 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 1/14/09 at Portland OR 97208
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$8.40	464340
Pane of 10	4.20	464330
Block of 4	1.68	464320
First Day Cover	.80	464361
Ceremony Program	6.95	464391
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	464365
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	464399

F Alaska Statehood 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 1/3/09 at Anchorage AK 99501
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$8.40	464140
Block of 10	4.20	464130
Block of 4	1.68	464120
First Day Cover	.80	464161
Ceremony Program	6.95	464191
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	464165
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	464199

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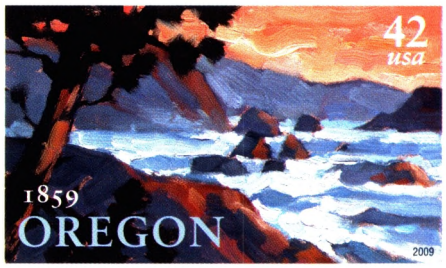
** Limt 5 per customer.



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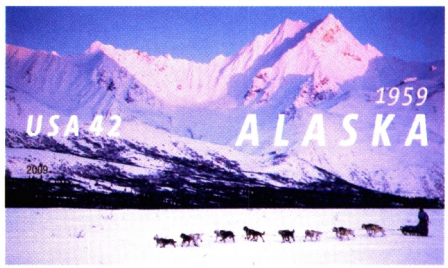
E | Oregon Statehood

Oregon was officially welcomed as the 33rd state in the Union on February 14, 1859. Oregon artist Gregory Manchess, inspired by his own experiences along the Pacific coast, created the painting for the stamp to convey the feel of the state's shoreline.



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F | Alaska Statehood

Alaska derives its name from an Aleut word meaning "great land." It is the largest of the 50 states — comprising more than 570,000 square miles of land. This stamp, celebrating the 50th anniversary of Alaska's statehood, features a photograph of a dog musher taken by Jeff Schultz in the vicinity of Rainy Pass in the Alaska Range.

NEW ISSUES

A | Edgar Allan Poe

Commemorating the 200th anniversary of the birth of one of America's most extraordinary poets and fiction writers, the ***Edgar Allan Poe*** stamp features the work of award-winning artist Michael J. Deas. Extensive Poe research by Deas has made him well acquainted with Poe's appearance. The selvage art is by Edmund Dulac, a French-born British illustrator.

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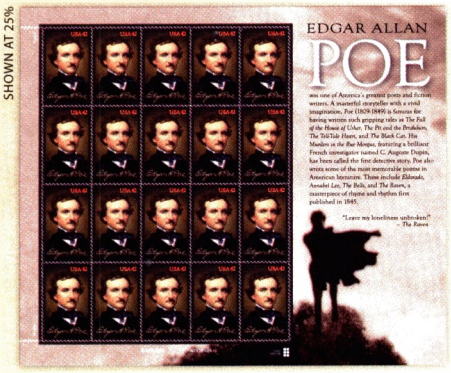

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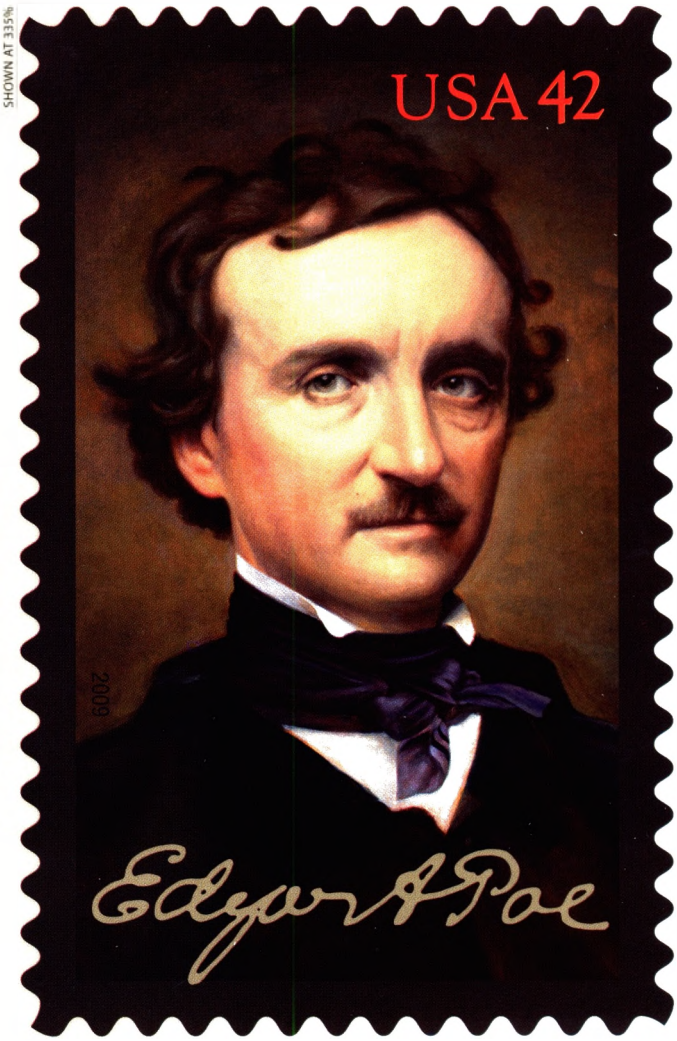
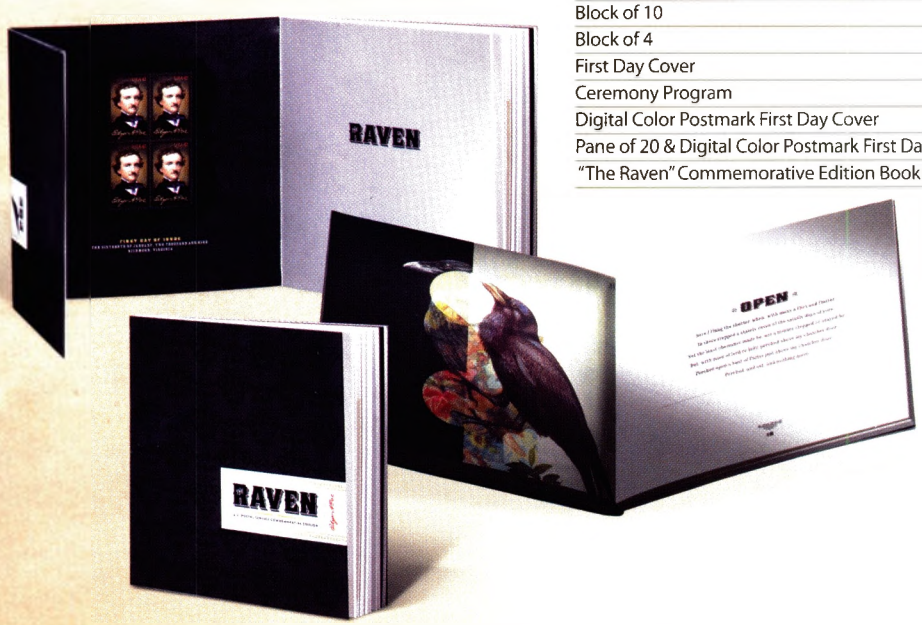


A "The Raven" Commemorative Edition Booklet

One of Poe's best-loved poems, "The Raven" was first published in 1845. In this special commemorative booklet edition, French artist Emmanuel Polanco graphically interprets "The Raven" in six original illustrations. Booklet also includes commentary by stamp artist Michael J. Deas and a block of 4 ***Edgar Allan Poe*** stamps with mount.



A Edgar Allan Poe 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 1/16/09 at Richmond VA 23232
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 2 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no. & selvage	$8.40	464440
Block of 10	4.20	464430
Block of 4	1.68	464420
First Day Cover	.80	464461
Ceremony Program	6.95	464491
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	464465
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	464499
"The Raven" Commemorative Edition Booklet w/ Block of 4	12.95	464473

See page 25 for special product offer!

B Civil Rights Pioneers 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/12/09 at New York NY 10199
6 designs, gravure (AVR)

Souvenir Sheet of 6	$2.52	573940
First Day Cover (Full Sheet)	5.02	573962
First Day Cancelled (Full Sheet)	5.02	573964
Ceremony Program	6.95	573991
Cultural Diary Page (2 Pages) & Souvenir Sheet of 6	8.95	573976

* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.

B Civil Rights Pioneers Cultural Diary Page & Sheet of 6

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B Civil Rights Pioneers

With these stamps, the U.S. Postal Service honors 12 leaders in the struggle for African-American civil rights. Art director Ethel Kessler and stamp designer Greg Berger chose to approach this project through photographic montage, pairing two pioneers on each stamp to intensify the montage effect.

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A | Vintage Black Cinema

Vivid reminders of a bygone era, these vintage movie posters highlight various facets of the African-American cultural experience as represented in early film. Whether spotlighting the talents of entertainment icons or documenting changing social attitudes and expectations, they are now invaluable pieces of history.

A Vintage Black Cinema Commemorative Folio & Pane of 20

This handsome set includes a pane of 20 First-Class stamps and a 12-panel folio with enlargements of the striking stamp artwork, film plot synopses and historical background. There's even a handy pocket to preserve a strip of five stamps.

A Vintage Black Cinema Cultural Diary Page & Pane of 20

A Vintage Black Cinema 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 7/16/08 at Newark NJ
5 designs, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & selvage	$8.40	463140
Block of 10	4.20	463130
Strip of 5	2.10	463120
Uncut Press Sheet	50.40	463184
First Day Covers (5)	4.00	463163
Pane of 20 & First Day Covers (5)	12.40	463193
Ceremony Program	6.95	463191
Cultural Diary Page & Pane of 20	12.95	463176
Commemorative Folio & Pane of 20	12.95	463174

B Latin Jazz 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 9/8/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	463540
Block of 10	4.20	463530
Block of 4	1.68	463520
First Day Cover	.80	463561
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	463593
Ceremony Program	6.95	463591

C Charles + Ray Eames 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/17/08 at Santa Monica CA
16 designs, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

Souvenir Sheet of 16	$6.72	463040
First Day Cover (Full Sheet)	9.22	463062
First Day Cancelled (Full Sheet)	9.22	463064
Souvenir Sheet of 16 and First Day Cover (Full Sheet)	15.94	463093
Ceremony Program	6.95	463091

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A Frank Sinatra 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/13/08 at New York NY & Las Vegas NV
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	463240
Block of 10	4.20	463230
Block of 4	1.68	463220
Uncut Press Sheet	50.40	463284
First Day Cover (New York)	.80	463261
First Day Cover (Las Vegas)	.80	463269
Ceremony Program (Includes both cancellations)	6.95	SOLD OUT
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover (New York)	1.50	463265
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover (Las Vegas)	1.50	463279
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (2)	11.40	463299

B Bette Davis 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 9/18/08 at Boston MA
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & selvage	$8.40	462640
Block of 10	4.20	462630
Block of 4	1.68	462620
Uncut Press Sheet	75.60	462684
First Day Cover	.80	462661
First Day Cancelled (Full Pane)	10.90	462662
Ceremony Program	6.95	462691
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	462665
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	462699

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2008

A | Frank Sinatra

Admired the world over as a supreme interpreter of American popular song, Frank Sinatra was also an Oscar-winning actor, appearing in more than 60 motion pictures. Art director Richard Sheaff and stamp artist Kazuhiko Sano present this iconic figure in a portrait based on a photograph by an unknown photographer.

SHOWN AT 215%

2008

B | Bette Davis

Bette Davis, the 14th stamp in the ***Legends of Hollywood*** series, played a wide variety of powerful and complex roles during her six-decade career, resulting in ten Academy Award nominations for best actress. She won twice for her starring roles in *Dangerous* and *Jezebel*. Artist Michael J. Deas based his painting for the stamp on a black-and-white still of Davis made during the filming of *All About Eve*.

FIRST DAY OF ISSUE | MAY 13, 2008 | NEW YORK, NY 10199

A Frank Sinatra
Digital Color Postmark

Frank Sinatra™ Sheffield Enterprises, Los Angeles, CA
Bette Davis licensed by CMG Worldwide, Indianapolis, IN.
2007 Twentieth Century Fox *All About Eve* TM & ©1950, Film Corporation. All rights reserved.

B | Latin Jazz

Building on the marriage of Caribbean and North American music styles that began in the late 19th and early 20th centuries, Latin jazz spread through the United States during the 20s and 30s. This stamp features a bold, graphic design by San Francisco-based artist—and Latin jazz fan—Michael Bartalos.

2008

SHOWN AT 225%

Charles + Ray Eames

C Charles + Ray Eames
First Day of Issue Cancellation

SHOWN AT 70%

C | Charles + Ray Eames

Honoring the husband-and-wife design team of Charles and Ray Eames, this souvenir sheet of 16 stamps represents the breadth of their extraordinary body of creative work, which includes architecture, furniture, film and exhibits.

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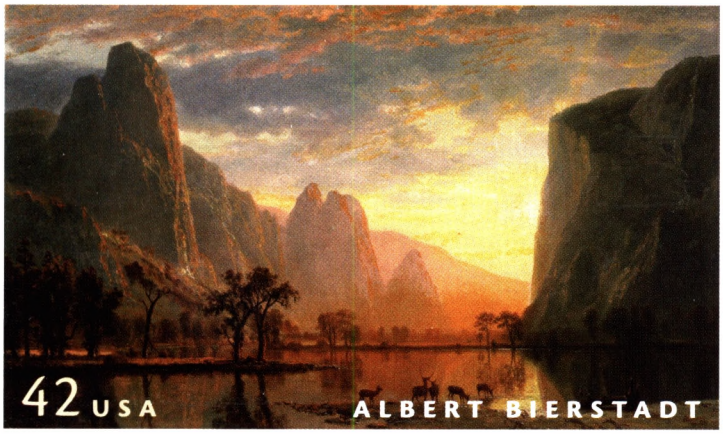

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2008

C | Albert Bierstadt

For the eighth issuance in the ***American Treasures*** series, art director Derry Noyes used *Valley of the Yosemite*, an 1864 oil-on-paperboard painting by Albert Bierstadt. The painting evokes the sublime grandeur of the unspoiled Western wilderness that Bierstadt so eloquently portrayed in his monumental panoramic landscapes.

C Albert Bierstadt 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/14/08 at Hartford CT
1 design, offset (SSP)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	678440
First Day Cover	.80	678461
Booklet of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	678493
Ceremony Program	6.95	678491

D Charles W. Chesnutt 41¢ (Additional postage required)

DATE OF ISSUE: 01/31/08 at Cleveland OH
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.20	462840
Block of 10	4.10	462830
Block of 4	1.64	462820
! First Day Cover	.79	462861
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	8.99	462893
Ceremony Program	6.95	462891
Cultural Diary Page, Maxi Card & Pane of 20	13.95	462876

* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.
! Going off sale 3/31/09.

D Charles W. Chesnutt
First Day of Issue Cancellation

SHOWN AT 220%

D | Charles W. Chesnutt

The 31st stamp in the ***Black Heritage*** series pays tribute to Charles W. Chesnutt, a pioneering writer whose work addressed a broad range of African-American experience during the post-Civil War period. The portrait, by artist Kazuhiko Sano, is based on a 1908 photograph.

D Charles W. Chesnutt
Cultural Diary Page, Maxi Card & Pane of 20

Albert Bierstadt *Valley of the Yosemite 1864*. Museum of Fine Arts, Boston. Gift of Martha C. Karolik for the M. and M. Karolik Collection of American Paintings, 1815–1865. Photograph © 2007 Museum of Fine Arts, Boston.

COMMEMORATIVES

The Art of Disney: Imagination Premium Stamped Cards
Booklet of 20 ready-to-mail pre-stamped cards featuring four different designs.

SHOWN AT 160%

The Art of Disney: Imagination Print Set
Includes four 8" x 10" prints and four matching stamps.

The Art of Disney: Imagination
The last issuance in a unique five-year collaboration between the U.S. Postal Service and The Walt Disney Company, these stamps bring to life characters that capture the laughter and wonder born from the imagination—Mickey Mouse as Steamboat Willie, Princess Aurora with Flora, Fauna and Merryweather, Mowgli and Baloo, and Pongo and pup.

The Art of Disney Stamps Book
Celebrating five years of unique collaboration between the U.S. Postal Service and The Walt Disney Company, this 112-page book gives you rare insight into what happened when the creative teams came together to produce the ***The Art of Disney*** stamp series. Includes 21 stamps and mounts.

NEW!
See back cover for more details.

Disney Materials © Disney

A The Art of Disney Postmark Collectibles
This limited edition series of four folios features stamps from ***The Art of Disney*** series grouped by theme—Mickey Mouse, Princesses, Animal Tales and Childhood Classics. Each folio features sketches from the Disney creative team and includes a removable insert with five affixed stamps and special commemorative postmark. Order your favorite or get the complete set!

B The Art of Disney: Magic Print Set
Includes four 8" x 10" prints and four matching stamps.

A The Art of Disney: Imagination 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/7/08 at Anaheim CA
4 designs, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

*Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$8.40	571440
Block of 10	4.20	571430
Block of 4	1.68	571420
Premium Stamped Cards (Booklet of 20)	13.95	571466
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	571463
Ceremony Program	6.95	571491
Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (4)	6.00	571468
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (4)	14.40	571499
Prints (Set of 4)(8"x10")	14.95	571488
The Art of Disney Postmark Collectible: Mickey Mouse	14.95	571401
The Art of Disney Postmark Collectible: Princesses	14.95	571402
The Art of Disney Postmark Collectible: Animal Tales	14.95	571403
The Art of Disney Postmark Collectible: Childhood Classics	14.95	571404
The Art of Disney Postmark Collectible: Full Set	49.95	571406
NEW The Art of Disney Stamps Book w/ 21 Stamps	49.95	571473

B The Art of Disney: Magic 41¢ (Additional postage required)

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/16/07 at Orlando FL
4 designs, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

Stamped Cards (Booklet of 20)	$12.95	569766
Prints (Set of 4) (8"x10")	14.95	569788
Secret Message & Stationery Kit w/ 8 Stamps, Stationery & Envelopes	14.95	569787

*Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.

B The Art of Disney: Magic Secret Message & Stationery Kit
From magic codes to invisible inks, Disney characters tell you all you need to know to write and send messages that only you and your friends can read. Also includes eight sheets of stationery with envelopes and eight ***The Art of Disney: Magic*** stamps.

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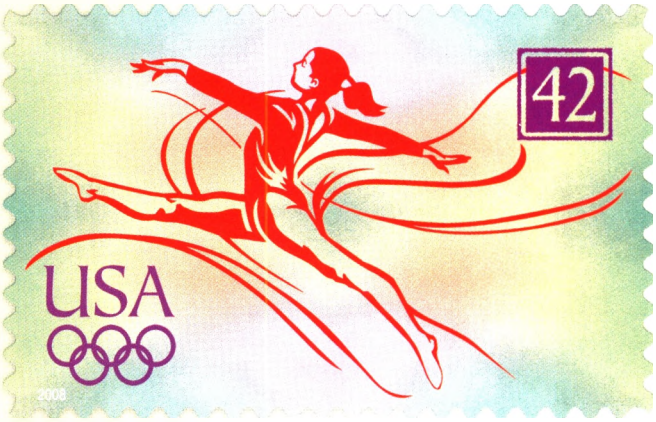

A | Olympic Games

The U.S. Postal Service continues its tradition of honoring the spirit of athleticism and international unity inspired by the Olympic Games. The stamp was issued to coincide with the games of the XXIX Olympiad.

A Olympic Games 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/19/08 at Philadelphia PA
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	462940
Block of 10	4.20	462930
Block of 4	1.68	462920
First Day Cover	.80	462961
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	462993

B "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 7/16/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	462140
Block of 10	4.20	462130
Block of 4	1.68	462120
First Day Cover	.80	462161
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	462165
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	462199
Carry-a-Tune™ Book, CD & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	6.49	462173

SHOWN AT 235%

B | "Take Me Out to the Ball Game"

One of the most popular baseball songs of all time, "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" remains part of the musical tradition at ballparks around the country. The basis for the stamp art is a circa-1880 trade card from the personal collection of art director Richard Sheaff.

B "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" Digital Color Postmark

B "Take Me Out to the Ball Game" Carry-a-Tune™ Book
This CD and book package of the classic American baseball song includes a Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover.

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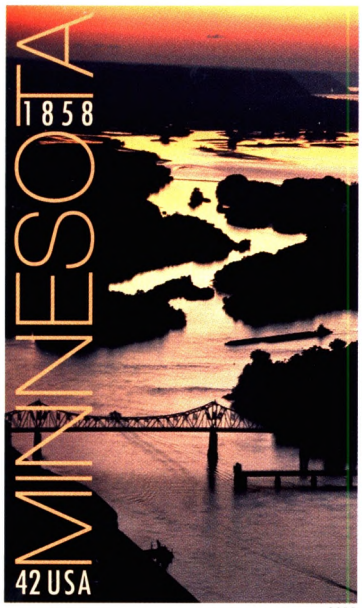

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C Minnesota Statehood

Commemorating the 150th year of Minnesota's statehood, this stamp features a photograph made by Richard Hamilton Smith in the city of Winona — the MN-43/WI-54 bridge in the foreground spans the main channel of the Mississippi River. F. Scott Fitzgerald, Judy Garland and Bob Dylan are just a few Minnesota-born celebrities.

C Minnesota Statehood 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/17/08 at St. Paul MN
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	462540
Block of 10	4.20	462530
Block of 4	1.68	462520
First Day Cover	.80	462561
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	462593
Ceremony Program	6.95	462591

D Great Lakes Dunes 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/2/08 at Empire MI
10 designs, gravure (AVR)

Souvenir Sheet of 10	$4.20	462740
** Uncut Press Sheet	33.60	462784
Oversize Premium Stamped Cards (Set of 10)	8.95	462766
First Day Cover (Full Sheet)	6.70	462762
First Day Cancelled (Full Sheet)	6.70	462764
Souvenir Sheet of 10 & First Day Cover	10.90	462793
Ceremony Program	6.95	462791

* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.
** Limited to 5 per customer.

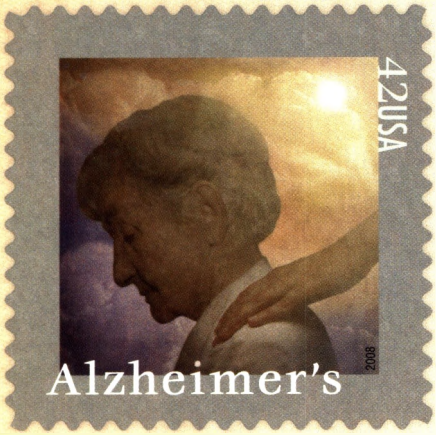
SHOWN AT 60%

D Great Lakes Dunes
Oversize Premium Stamped Cards
Set of 10 ready-to-mail pre-stamped cards.

D Great Lakes Dunes

Great Lakes Dunes, one of the largest freshwater dune systems on Earth, is the subject of the tenth issuance in the ***Nature of America*** series. Artist John D. Dawson depicts more than 27 different kinds of plants and animals in his colorful acrylic painting.

SHOWN AT 180%



See page 26 for 50s Fins and Chrome Premium Stamped Cards

A Alzheimer's Awareness

Alzheimer's disease (AD) is the most common form of dementia among older people, and experts estimate that more than five million Americans are living with AD. Art director Ethel Kessler worked with illustrator Matt Mahurin to draw attention to the importance of the caregiver for those who have Alzheimer's disease.

A Alzheimer's Awareness 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: [illegible] at Morgantown WV
1 design, 12 pane designs (plate no. in 2 corners, gravure SAVRI)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$8.40	463440
Block of 10	4.20	463430
Block of 4	1.68	463420
First Day Cover	.80	463461
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	463493
Ceremony Program	6.95	463491

E America on the Move: 50s Fins and Chrome 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/3/08 at Carlisle PA
5 designs, 5 pane designs, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$8.40	463640
Block of 10	4.20	463630
Strip of 5	2.10	463620
First Day Covers (5)	4.00	463663
Ceremony Program	6.95	463691
Premium Stamped Cards (Booklet of 20)	13.95	463666
Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (5)	7.50	463668
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmarks (5)	15.90	463699

* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.

E America on the Move: 50s Fins and Chrome Digital Color Postmark

SHOWN AT 150%

B America on the Move: 50s Fins and Chrome

The second issuance in the ***America on the Move*** series highlights the stylish fins and chrome of five popular cars: a 1957 Chrysler 300C, a 1957 Lincoln Premiere, a 1957 Pontiac Safari, a 1957 Studebaker Golden Hawk and a 1959 Cadillac Eldorado. Renowned automobile illustrator Art M. Fitzpatrick created the paintings featured on the stamps.

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A Mount Rushmore $4.80 (Priority Mail®)

(Additional postage required effective 1/09)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/6/08 at McLean VA
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$96.00	112840
* Block of 10 w/plate no.	48.00	112830
* Block of 4 w/plate no.	19.20	112820
Single	4.80	112810
First Day Cover	5.18	112861
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	101.18	112893

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/12/08 at Kansas City MO

Prepaid Flat Rate Envelope (Pack of 5)	$24.00	212005
Prepaid Flat Rate Envelope (Pack of 10)	48.00	212010
Prepaid Flat Rate Envelope (Pack of 25)	120.00	212025
Prepaid Flat Rate Envelope First Day Cover	5.18	212061

B Hoover Dam $16.50 (Express Mail®)

(Additional postage required effective 1/09)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/20/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$330.00	112740
* Block of 10 w/plate no.	165.00	112730
* Block of 4 w/plate no.	66.00	112720
Single	16.50	112710
First Day Cover	16.88	112761
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	346.88	112793

C Breast Cancer Research Semipostal (First-Class rate)

REPRINTED: 8/08
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$11.00	503240
Block of 10	5.50	503230
Block of 4	2.20	503220

NOTE: Postage value of Breast Cancer Research Semi-Postal will be valued at current First-Class rate.

D Forever (First-Class rate)

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/12/07
1 design, gravure (AVR)

ATM Booklet of 18	$7.56	509940

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/12/08 at Washington DC
1 design, offset (SSP)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677740
First Day Cover	.80	677761

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/22/08 at Falls Church VA
1 design, offset (AVR)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677741
First Day Cover	.80	677769

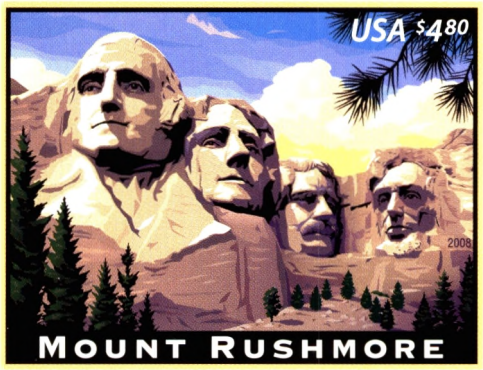
DATE OF ISSUE: 8/22/08 at Falls Church VA
1 design, gravure (APU)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677742

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/25/08 at New York NY
1 design, offset (SSP)

Vending Booklet of 20	$8.40	679240

NOTE: Postage value of the Forever stamp will be valued at current First-Class rate.
* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.



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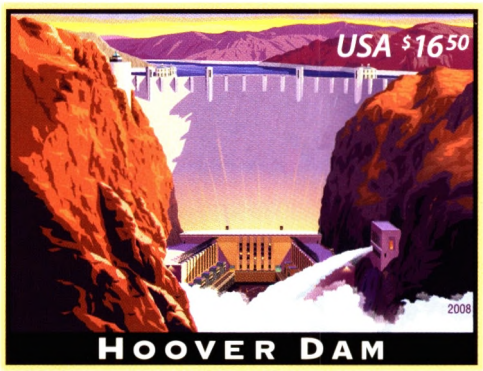
A Mount Rushmore



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B Hoover Dam

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C Breast Cancer Research

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D Forever

A Hanukkah

B *Virgin and Child with the Young John the Baptist* by Sandro Botticelli

C Eid

D Holiday Nutcrackers

E Kwanzaa

A Hanukkah 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/24/08 at New York NY
1 design, 12 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	573140
Block of 10	4.20	573130
Block of 4	1.68	573120
First Day Cover	.80	573161
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	573193

B *Virgin and Child with the Young John the Baptist* by Sandro Botticelli 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/23/08 at New York NY
1 design, offset (APU)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677940
First Day Cover	.80	677961
Ceremony Program	6.95	677991
Booklet of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	677993

C Eid 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 9/23/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 12 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	573040
Block of 10	4.20	573030
Block of 4	1.68	573020
First Day Cover	.80	573061
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	573093

D Holiday Nutcrackers 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/23/08 at New York NY
4 designs, offset (SSP)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	678040
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	678063
Digital Color Postmarks (4)	6.00	678068
Ceremony Program	6.95	678091
Booklet of 20 & Digital Color Postmark	14.40	678099
Postcard Puzzles (Set of 4 Postcards & 4 Stamps)	7.95	678077

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/23/08 at New York NY
4 designs, offset (SSP)

Vending Booklet of 20	$8.40	678140

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/23/08 at New York NY
4 designs, gravure (AVR)

ATM Booklet of 18	$7.56	571740
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	571763

E Kwanzaa 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/24/08 at New York NY
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	573240
Block of 10	4.20	573230
Block of 4	1.68	573220
First Day Cover	.80	573261
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	573293

4 FLAGS OF OUR NATION: SET 3

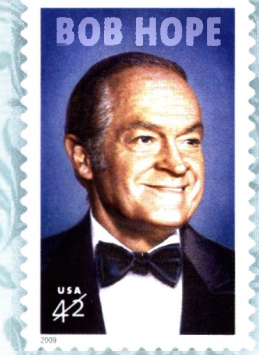
5 ANNA JULIA COOPER *Black Heritage*

6 GARY COOPER *Legends of Hollywood*

7 LOVE: KING AND QUEEN OF HEARTS

8 CELEBRATING LUNAR NEW YEAR: YEAR OF THE OX

9 GULF COAST LIGHTHOUSES



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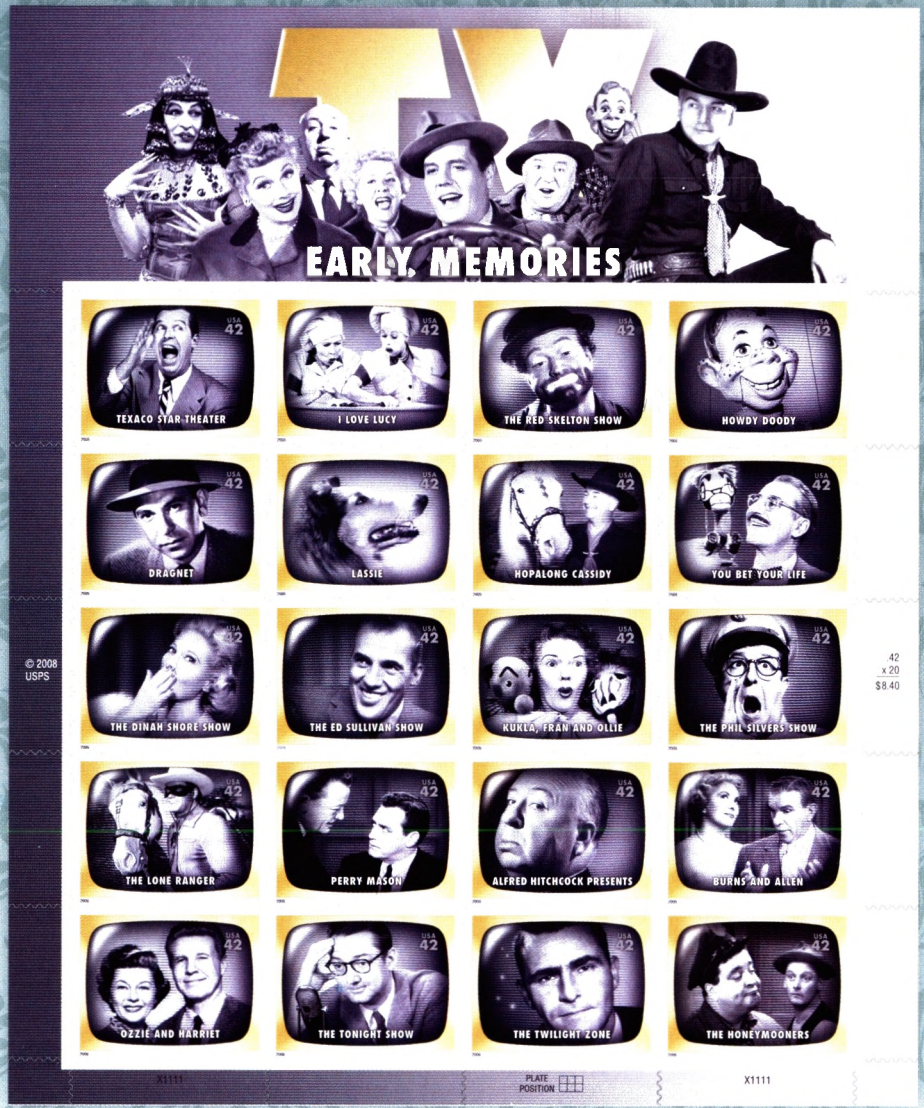
EDGAR ALLAN POE

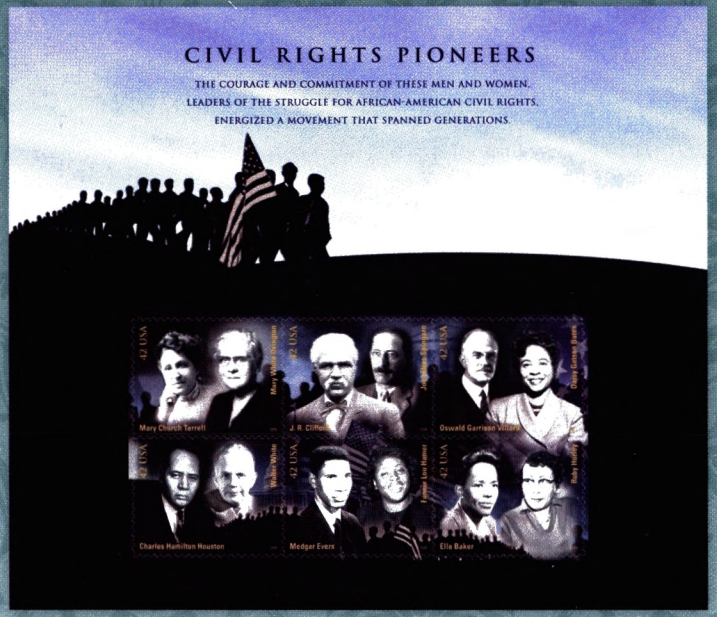
EDWARD HOPPER *American Treasures*



10 EARLY TV MEMORIES

SHARING THE Memories

2009 STAMP PROGRAM



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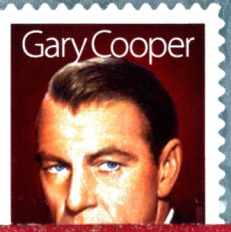

NEW! the 2009 Stamp Program

1

These stamps honor 12 pioneers in the struggle for African-American

14

These stamps will be issued as two separate panes at the one-ounce

1 [illegible]

These stamps honor 12 pioneers in the struggle for African-American civil rights, a movement that spanned generations and involved people from diverse backgrounds. These visionary heroes believed that inequality is a problem for *all* Americans, regardless of race.

2 [illegible]

These four stamps commemorate the 200th anniversary of the birth of Abraham Lincoln (1809-1865), the 16th President of the United States.

3 [illegible]

Four delightful stamps feature iconic scenes of a Thanksgiving Day parade.

4 [illegible]

Arranged alphabetically and sold in coils of 50, these mail-use stamps show nine state flags (Kentucky through Missouri) and the Stars and Stripes. The designs also include scenes, activities, and wildlife associated with the featured states. Additional art for the Stars and Stripes stamp was inspired by words from "America the Beautiful," written by Katharine Lee Bates.

5

The 32nd stamp in the ***Black Heritage*** series honors Anna Julia Cooper, a scholar, feminist, and activist best known for her educational leadership.

6

The 15th stamp in the ***Legends of Hollywood*** series honors popular leading man Gary Cooper, whose believable performances and strong, silent appeal brought him a lifetime of fame.

7

The latest stamps in the ***Love*** series pay clever tribute to the world's favorite "game"—the game of love—by suggesting playing cards. This pair will lend a delightful touch to love letters and other correspondence.

8

Millions of people from many cultures will celebrate the Year of the Ox beginning January 26, 2009. The ox is the second of twelve

14 WEDDINGS: RINGS AND CAKE

These stamps will be issued as two separate panes at the one-ounce and two-ounce rates.

15 [illegible]

The second ***Flags of Our Nation*** issuance in 2009 features nine more state flags (Montana through North Dakota) and the Stars and Stripes.

16 [illegible]

This stamped card celebrates the university's bicentennial with an image of MacCracken Hall, a residence hall on the main campus in Oxford, Ohio.

17 [illegible]

Featuring several elements of the Pacific coast, this evocative stamp commemorates the sesquicentennial of Oregon's statehood.

18 [illegible]

This pane of four stamps honors the contributions of Associate Justices Joseph Story, Louis D. Brandeis, Felix Frankfurter, and William J. Brennan, Jr.

19

A surfer rides a wave and two people paddle an outrigger canoe on this stunning stamp, which commemorates 50 years of statehood for the nation's 50th state.

20

Featuring a photograph of a dog musher in the Alaska Range, this stamp celebrates the 50th anniversary of the 49th state, which joined the Union in 1959.

21

Now found in the art collection of the Vatican, this musical angel first appeared on a 15th-century fresco by Italian artist Melozzo da Forli.

22

Four cheery stamp designs—a reindeer, snowman, gingerbread man, and toy soldier—will add a festive touch to cards and letters

animals associated with the Chinese lunar calendar.

9

The U.S. Postal Service continues its popular lighthouses series with five stamps featuring Matagorda Island, TX; Sabine Pass, LA; Biloxi, MS; Sand Island, AL; and Fort Jefferson, FL.

10

This commemorative stamp features a portrait of Bob Hope, a man who devoted his life to making people laugh. Hope found enormous success on the live stage and in radio, motion pictures, and television.

11

With this striking stamp portrait, the Postal Service honors poet and fiction writer Edgar Allan Poe in the bicentennial year of his birth.

12

A sunlit painting by Edward Hopper is the ninth entry in the ***American Treasures*** series. *The Long Leg*, painted in oil on canvas around 1930, depicts a boat sailing against the wind near Provincetown, Massachusetts.

13

For more than half a century, Americans have turned to television for entertainment and information. These stamps commemorate 20 great shows from TV's golden age.

sent throughout the winter holiday season.

23

Kwanzaa, a non-religious holiday that takes place over seven days from December 26 to January 1, takes its name from the Swahili phrase for "first fruits." Its origins are in harvest celebrations that occurred in ancient and modern times across the African continent.

24

This painting by 17th-century Italian artist Giovanni Battisti Salvi, commonly known as Sassoferrato, can be found in the collection of Hearst Castle in California.

25

Featuring a gorgeous example of Islamic calligraphy, this reissued stamp commemorates Eid al-Fitr and Eid al-Adha, the two most important festivals in the Islamic calendar.

26

With a photograph of an elegant menorah, this new stamp commemorates the joyous yearly festival celebrated by Jews around the world.

27

The 11th stamp pane in the ***Nature of America*** series features a colorful painting of a kelp forest off the central California coast.

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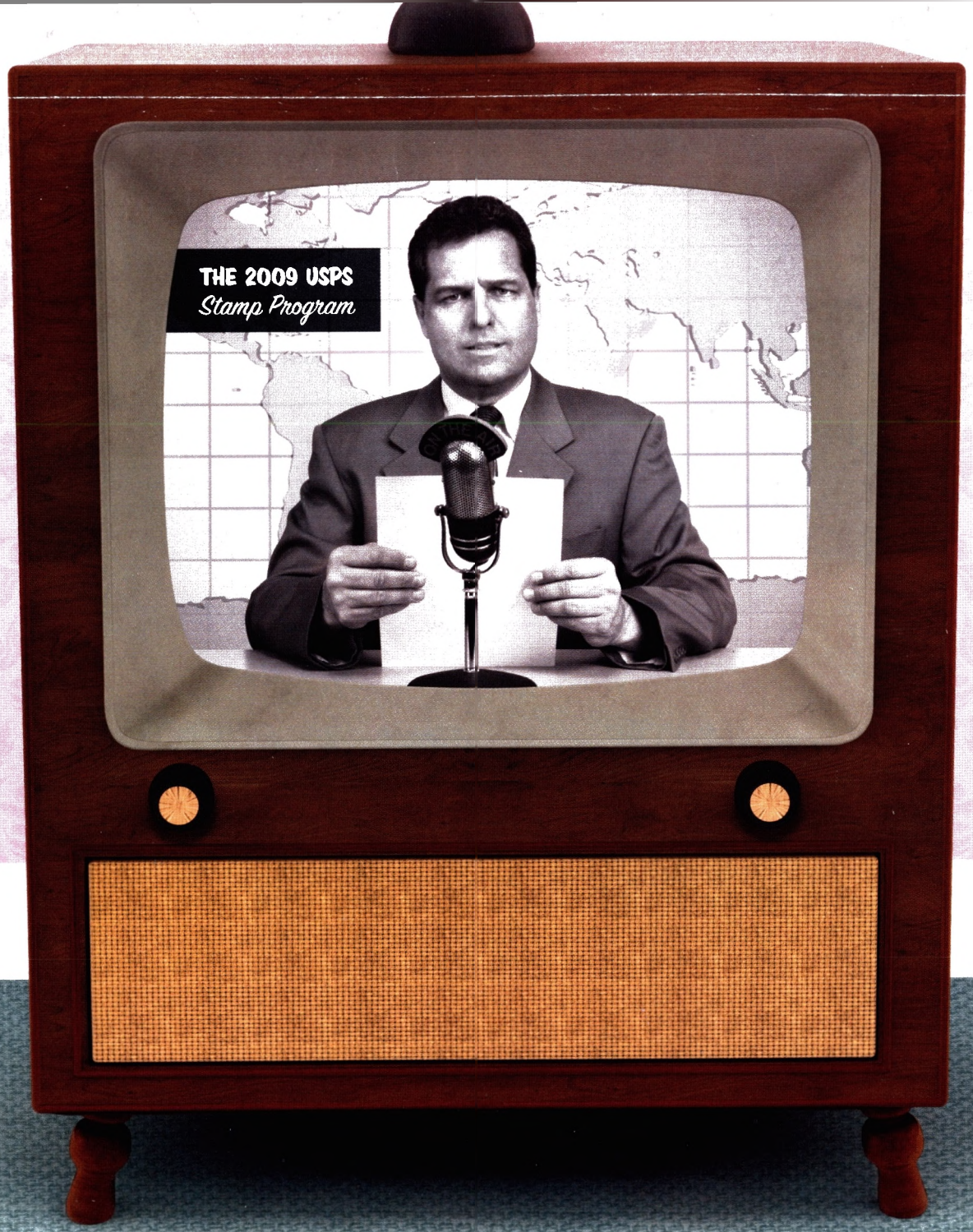

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CHRISTMAS:
MADONNA AND SLEEPING CHILD
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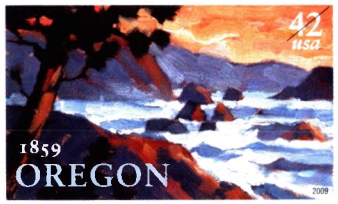
WEDDINGS: RINGS AND CAKE

FLAGS OF OUR NATION: SET 4

UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT JUSTICES

18 UNITED STATES SUPREME COURT JUSTICES

16 MIAMI UNIVERSITY STAMPED CARD



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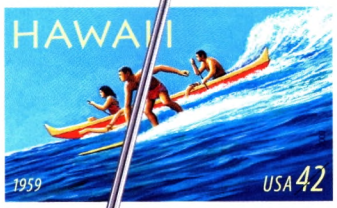

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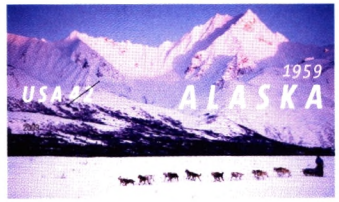

20 ALASKA STATEHOOD

22 WINTER HOLIDAYS

21 ANGEL WITH LUTE

23 KWANZAA

SHOWN AT 230%

F Love: All Heart

F Love: All Heart
Digital Color Postmark

F Love: All Heart 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/10/08 at Washington DC
1 design, gravure (AVR)

Booklet of 20	$8.40	677840
First Day Cover	.80	677861
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	677865
Booklet of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	677899

G Celebrate! 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 7/10/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$8.40	572040
Block of 10	4.20	572030
Block of 4	1.68	572020
First Day Cover	.80	572061
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	572093

H Hearts 42¢ (First-Class rate)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/10/08 at Washington DC
1 design, offset (APU)

Booklet of 20	$8.40	677640
First Day Cover	.80	677661
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	677665
Booklet of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	677699

J Hearts 59¢ (2-oz. rate)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/10/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$11.80	571640
Block of 10	5.90	571630
Block of 4	2.36	571620
First Day Cover	.97	571661
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	571665
Pane of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	13.30	571699

* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.

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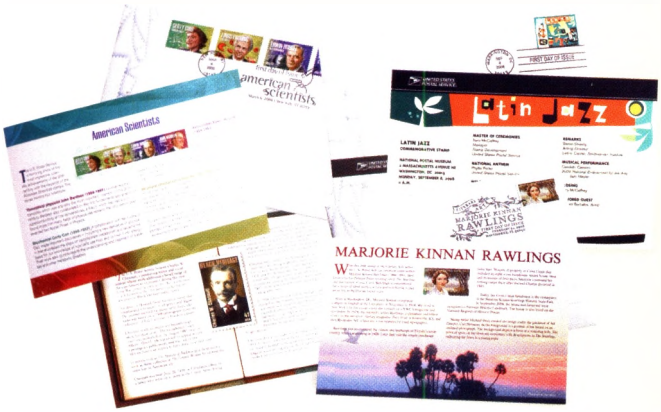

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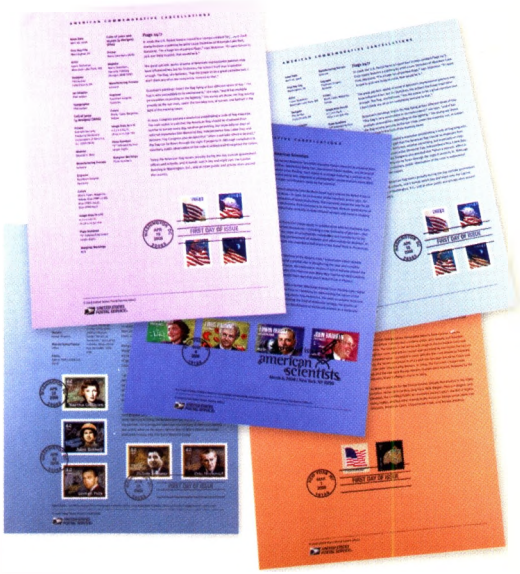

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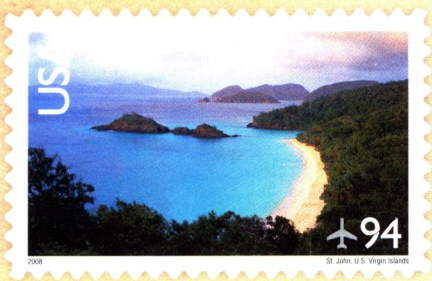

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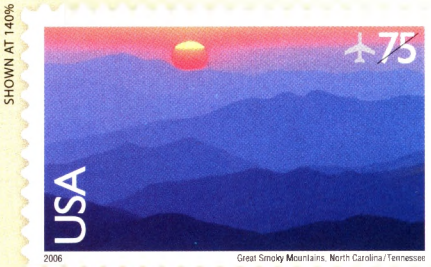

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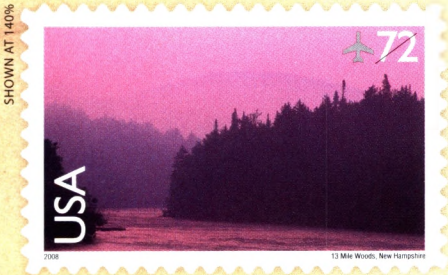

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A St. John 94¢ (Int'l rate)

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/16/08 at Rochester NY & St. John USVI
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$18.80	571840
Block of 10	9.40	571830
Block of 4	3.76	571820
First Day Cover (Rochester NY)	1.32	571861
First Day Cover (St. John USVI)	1.32	571869
Pane of 20 & Random First Day Cover	20.12	571893

B Yosemite National Park 84¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/24/06 at St. Louis MO
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$16.80	568440
Block of 10	8.40	568430
Block of 4	3.36	568420

C Mount McKinley 80¢

REPRINTED: 4/03
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$16.00	501540
Block of 10	8.00	501530
Block of 4	3.20	501520

D Great Smoky Mountains 75¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/24/06 at St. Louis MO
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$15.00	568240
Block of 10	7.50	568230
Block of 4	3.00	568220

E 13 Mile Woods 72¢
(Int'l rate, Mexico & Canada)

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/16/08 at Rochester NY
1 design, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$14.40	571940
Block of 10	7.20	571930
Block of 4	2.88	571920
First Day Cover	1.10	571961
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	15.50	571993

F Bryce Canyon 63¢

REPRINTED: 10/06
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$12.60	508540
Block of 10	6.30	508530
Block of 4	2.52	508520

G Acadia National Park 60¢

REPRINTED: 1/05
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$12.00	560040
Block of 10	6.00	560030
Block of 4	2.40	560020

~OTHER DEFINITIVES~

H Washington and Jackson $5 (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/19/94 at Pittsburgh PA
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, intaglio (SVS)
(WATER-ACTIVATED)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$100.00	109540
* Block of 10 w/ plate no.	50.00	109530
* Block of 4 w/ plate no.	20.00	109520
Single Stamp	5.00	109510

J Dragonfly 62¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/19/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$12.40	120440
Block of 10	6.20	120430
Block of 4	2.48	120420
First Day Cover	1.00	120461

K Coverlet Eagle 60¢ (Not Shown)

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DATE OF ISSUE: 7/12/02 at Oak Brook IL
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$12.00	106040
Block of 10	6.00	106030
Block of 4	2.40	106020

L Purple Heart 42¢

REISSUED: 4/30/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 4 positions, plate no. in 1 corner, offset (APU)
(WATER-ACTIVATED)

* Pane of 100 w/ plate no.	$42.00	108840
Block of 20	8.40	108830
Block of 4	1.68	108820
First Day Cover	.80	108861

REISSUED: 4/30/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 1 corner, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$8.40	110140
Block of 10	4.20	110130
Block of 4	1.68	110120
First Day Cover	.80	110161
Pane of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	110193

M Tropical Fruit 27¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/25/08 at Burlingame CA
5 designs, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$5.40	105140
Block of 10	2.70	105130
Strip of 5	1.35	105120
First Day Covers (5, each with 2 stamps)	4.60	105163
Pane of 20 & First Day Covers (5)	10.00	105193

N Bighorn Sheep 17¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/14/07 at Washington DC
1 design, 14 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$3.40	101540
Block of 10	1.70	101530
Block of 4	.68	101520

O NEW Official Mail 1¢ (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/24/09 at Washington DC 20066
1 design, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$.20	574440
Block of 10	.10	574430
Block of 4	.04	574420
First Day Cover (2 Stamps)	.81	574462

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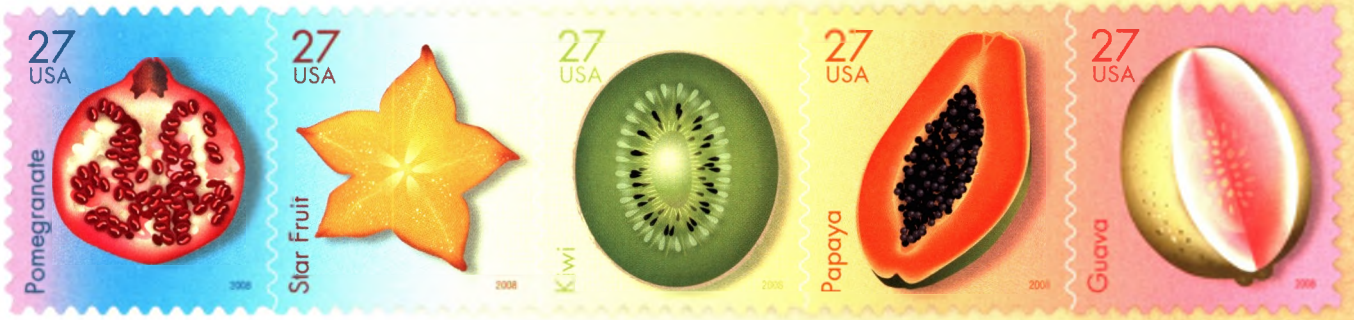

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C Chippendale Chair

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F Navajo Jewelry

AMERICAN DESIGN SERIES

A American Clock 10¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 1/24/03 at Tucson AZ
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$2.00	108040
Block of 10	1.00	108030
Block of 4	.40	108020

B American Toleware 5¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/25/04 at Santa Clara CA
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$1.00	100540
Block of 10	.50	100530
Block of 4	.20	100520

REPRINTED: 2007
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$1.00	180540
Block of 10	.50	180530
Block of 4	.20	180520

C Chippendale Chair 4¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 3/5/04 at New York NY
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$.80	110440
Block of 10	.40	110430
Block of 4	.16	110420

D Silver Coffeepot 3¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 3/16/07 at New York NY
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$.60	103340
Block of 10	.30	103330
Block of 4	.12	103320

E Star 3¢ (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/7/02 at Washington DC
1 design, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (BCA)

* Pane of 50 w/plate no.	$1.50	100340
Block of 20	.60	100330
Block of 4	.12	100320

F Navajo Jewelry 2¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/20/04 at Indianapolis IN
1 design, 14 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVS)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$.40	107240
Block of 10	.20	107230
Block of 4	.08	107220

REISSUED: 5/12/07 at Washington DC
1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$.40	180440
Block of 10	.20	180430
Block of 4	.08	180420

G Tiffany Lamp 1¢ (Not Shown)

REISSUED: 2/7/08 at New York NY
1 design, 15 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$.20	184140
Block of 10	.10	184130
Block of 4	.04	184120
! First Day Cover (2 stamps)	.80	184162

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H Edna Ferber 83¢ (Not Shown)

REPRINTED: 6/03
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$16.60	118340
Block of 10	8.30	118330
Block of 4	3.32	118320

J Edward Trudeau 76¢ (3-oz. rate)
(Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/12/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$15.20	110240
Block of 10	7.60	110230
Block of 4	3.04	110220
First Day Cover	1.14	110261

K James A. Michener 59¢ (2-oz. rate)
(Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/12/08 at Washington DC
1 design, 15 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (SSP)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$11.80	107740
Block of 10	5.90	107730
Block of 4	2.36	107720
First Day Cover	.97	107761

AMERICAN CULTURE SERIES

L Wisdom $1 (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/28/03 at Biloxi MS
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$20.00	109640
* Block of 10 w/ plate no.	10.00	109630
* Block of 4 w/ plate no.	4.00	109620
Single Stamp	1.00	109610

REPRINTED: 9/08
1 design, 6 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$20.00	189640
* Block of 10 w/ plate no.	10.00	189630
* Block of 4 w/ plate no.	4.00	189620
Single Stamp	1.00	189610

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A Hearts 42¢ (First-Class rate) (Shown on page 17)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/10/08 at Washington DC
1 design, offset (APU)

Booklet of 20	$8.40	677640
First Day Cover	.80	677661
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	677665
Booklet of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	677699

B Sunflower 42¢ (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/15/08 at Hartford CT
1 design, offset (APU)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	678340
First Day Cover	.80	678361
Booklet of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	678393
Premium Stamped Stationery (10)	14.95	678380

C Love: All Heart 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/10/08 at Washington DC
1 design, gravure (AVR)

Booklet of 20	$8.40	677840
First Day Cover	.80	677861
Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	1.50	677865
Booklet of 20 & Digital Color Postmark First Day Cover	9.90	677899

D Forever (First-Class rate)

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/12/07
1 design, gravure (AVR)

ATM Booklet of 18	$7.56	509940

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/12/08 at Washington DC
1 design, offset (SSP)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677740
First Day Cover	.80	677761

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/22/08 at Falls Church VA
1 design, offset (AVR)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677741
First Day Cover	.80	677769

DATE OF ISSUE: 11/22/08 at Falls Church VA
1 design, gravure (APU)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677742

DATE OF ISSUE: 11/25/08 at New York NY
1 design, offset (SSP)

Vending Booklet of 20	$8.40	679240

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E Albert Bierstadt 42¢ (Shown on page 9)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/12/08 at Hartford CT
1 design, offset (SSP)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	678440
First Day Cover	.80	678461
Booklet of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	678493
Ceremony Program	6.95	678491

F Beautiful Blooms 41¢ (Not Shown)
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DATE OF ISSUE: 8/10/07 at Portland OR
10 designs, gravure (AVR)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.20	677240
Booklet of 20 & 10 First Day Covers	16.10	677293

G *Virgin and Child with the Young John the Baptist* by Sandro Botticelli 42¢ (Shown on page 16)

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/23/08 at New York NY
1 design, offset (APU)

Booklet of 20 (2-sided)	$8.40	677940
First Day Cover	.80	677961
Ceremony Program	6.95	677991
Booklet of 20 & First Day Cover	9.20	677993

H Holiday Nutcrackers 42¢ (Shown on page 16)

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/23/08 at New York NY
4 designs, offset (SSP)

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4 designs, offset (SSP)

Vending Booklet of 20	$8.40	678140

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/23/08 at New York NY
4 designs, gravure (AVR)

ATM Booklet of 18	$7.56	571740
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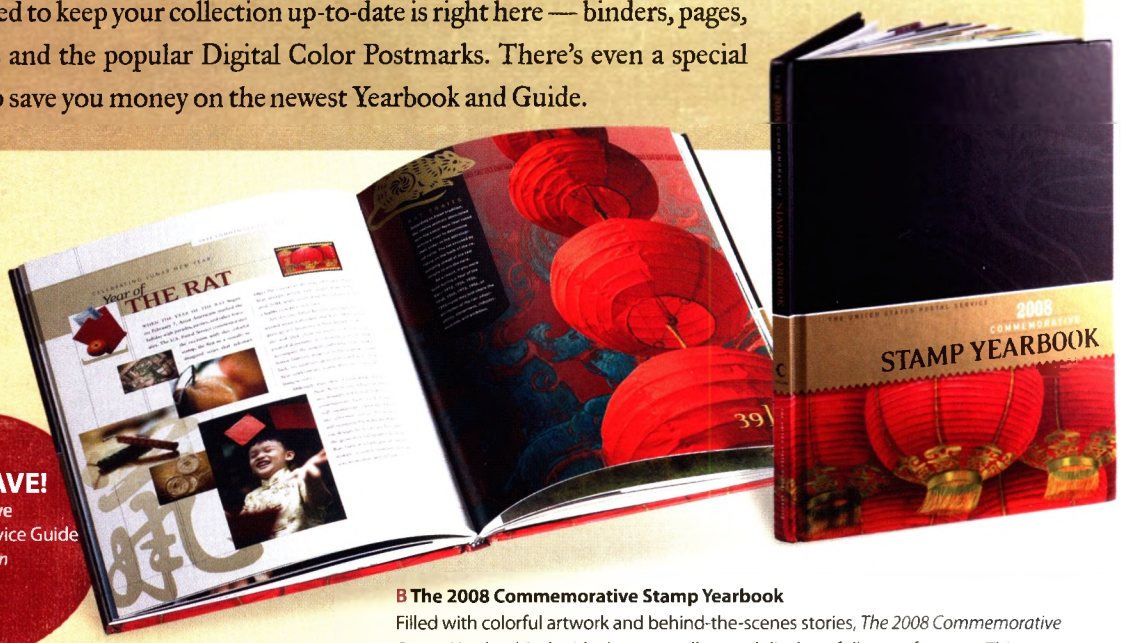

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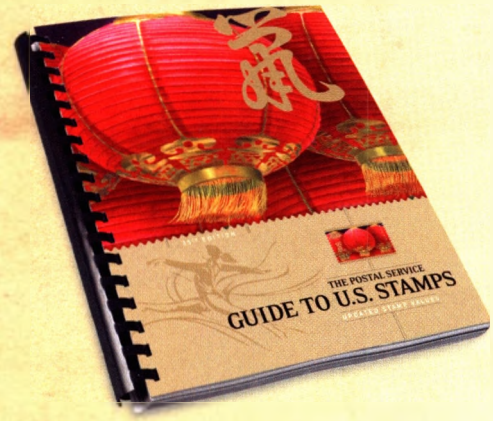

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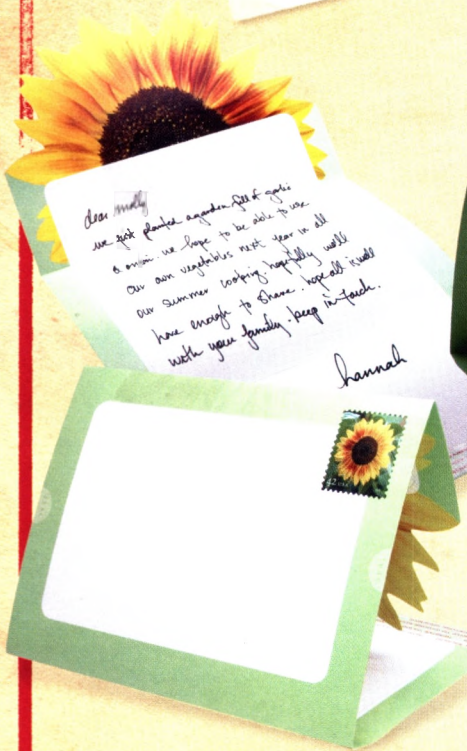

E Holiday Nutcrackers Postcard Puzzles
Set of 4 postcards (6 1/2" x 4 1/2") includes 4 stamps. Insert photograph or personal message, seal, add postage and mail! Recipient removes puzzle pieces to reveal message or photo inside.

D Sunflower Premium Stamped Stationery
Package of 10 pre-stamped stationery sheets.

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Booklet of 20 ready-to-mail pre-stamped cards featuring five different designs.

A The Art of Disney: Imagination Premium Stamped Cards
Booklet of 20 ready-to-mail pre-stamped cards featuring four different designs.

A The Art of Disney: Imagination 42¢
Premium Stamped Cards (Booklet of 20) $13.95 571466

B Great Lakes Dunes 42¢ (Shown on page 13)
Oversize Premium Stamped Cards (Set of 10) $8.95 462766

C America on the Move: 50s Fins and Chrome 42¢
Premium Stamped Cards (Booklet of 20) $13.95 463666

D Sunflower 42¢
Premium Stamped Stationery (10) $14.95 678380

E Holiday Nutcrackers 42¢
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F NEW Celebrating Lunar New Year: Year of the Ox
(Shown on page 2)
Limited Edition Notecard Set w/Envelopes & Stamps (12 of each) $13.95 573894

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A Elk Stamped Envelope 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/2/08 at Washington DC
APU

FORMAT		SINGLE		BOX OF 500
#10 Regular	$.51	282840	$226.95	SOLD OUT
#10 Regular Packet of 5	2.55	SOLD OUT		
#10 Regular w/cancellation	.61	282861		
#10 Window	.51	212940	226.95	212980
#10 Window Packet of 5	2.55	212905		
#10 Window w/cancellation	.61	212961		
#9 Security	.51	SOLD OUT	226.95	SOLD OUT
#9 Security Packet of 5	2.55	SOLD OUT		
#9 Security w/cancellation	.61	213061		
#9 Security Window	.51	213140	226.95	213180
#9 Security Window Packet of 5	2.55	213105		
#9 Security Window w/cancellation	.61	213161		
#6 3/4 Regular	.51	262940	224.90	262980
#6 3/4 Regular Packet of 5	2.55	262905		
#6 3/4 Regular w/cancellation	.61	262961		
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#6 3/4 Window w/cancellation	.61	263061		

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/2/08 at Washington DC
Westvaco

#10 Regular	$.51	292840
#10 Regular w/cancellation	.61	292861
#10 Window	.51	292940
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#9 Window	.51	293140
#9 Window w/cancellation	.61	293161
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#6 3/4 Regular w/cancellation	.61	282961
#6 3/4 Window	.51	283040
#6 3/4 Window w/cancellation	.61	283061

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/16/08 at Hartford CT
APU

FORMAT		SINGLE		BOX OF 500
#10 Regular	$.51	272840	$226.95	272880
#10 Regular Packet of 5	2.55	272805		
#10 Regular w/cancellation	.61	272861		
#10 Window	.51	272940	226.95	272980
#10 Window Packet of 5	2.55	272905		
#10 Window w/cancellation	.61	272961		
#9 Regular	.51	273040	226.95	273080
#9 Regular Packet of 5	2.55	273005		
#9 Regular w/cancellation	.61	273061		
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#9 Window Packet of 5	2.55	273105		
#9 Window w/cancellation	.61	273161		
#6 3/4 Regular	.51	252940	224.90	252980
#6 3/4 Packet of 5	2.55	252905		
#6 3/4 Regular w/cancellation	.61	252961		
#6 1/4 Window	.51	253040	224.90	253080
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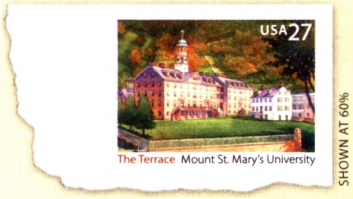
C | Mount St. Mary's University



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D | Corinthian Capital

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B Official Mail Stamped Envelope (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/20/08 at Washington DC
APU

#10 Regular	$.51	213240
#10 Regular w/cancellation	.61	213261

NOTE: Must meet postal requirements for mail use.
NOTE: Official (Penalty) Mail envelope available only through *USA Philatelic* catalog orders. These items are not available at Philatelic centers. Penalty for private use $300.

C Mount St. Mary's University Stamped Card 27¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/26/08 at Emmitsburg MD

Single Card	$.30	282340
Card w/First Day Cancellation	.39	202361
Ceremony Program	6.95	202391

D Corinthian Capital Stamped Card 27¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/12/08 at Washington DC

Single Card	$.30	222440
Card w/First Day Cancellation	.40	222461
Double Reply Card (.30 + .30)	.60	222540
Double Reply Card w/First Day Cancellation	.70	222561

NOTE: a 3¢ surcharge has been added to postal cards effective 5/12/08
NOTE: actual size of postal cards is 3.5" x 5.5"
Available only while supplies last.

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F Bighorn Sheep

A Flags of Our Nation: Set 1 42¢ (Not Shown)

Stars and Stripes, Alabama, Alaska, American Samoa, Arizona, Arkansas, California, Colorado, Connecticut, Delaware

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/14/08 at Washington DC
10 designs, plate no. every 10¹, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 50 (only)	$21.00	786540
First Day Covers (10)	8.00	786563
Ceremony Program	6.95	SOLDOUT
Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (10)	15.00	786568
Collector's Folder w/Coil of 50	29.95	786575

B Flags of Our Nation: Set 2 42¢

District of Columbia, Florida, Georgia, Guam, Hawai'i, Idaho, Illinois, Indiana, Iowa, Kansas

DATE OF ISSUE: 9/2/08 at Washington DC
10 designs, plate no. every 10¹, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 50 (only)	$21.00	786640
First Day Covers (10)	8.00	786663
Ceremony Program	6.95	786691
Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers (10)	15.00	786668

C Flags 24/7 42¢ (Shown on page 30)

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/18/08 at Washington DC
4 designs, plate no. every 16⁴, offset (APU)

Full Coil of 100 (only)	$42.00	785940
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	785963

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/18/08 at Washington DC
4 designs, plate no. every 8⁸, gravure (AVR)

Full Coil of 10,000	$4,200.00	786140
Strip of 25 w/plate no.	10.50	786130
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	786163
Full Coil of 3,000	$1,260.00	786040
Strip of 25 w/plate no.	10.50	786030
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	786063

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/18/08 at Washington DC
4 designs, plate no. every 20⁴, gravure (AVR)

Full Coil of 100 (only)	$42.00	785941

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/18/08 at Washington DC
4 designs, plate no. every 16⁴, offset (SSP)

Full Coil of 100 (only)	$42.00	785942

D Beautiful Blooms 41¢

(Additional postage required) (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/10/07 at Portland OR
10 designs, plate no. every 30¹, offset (APU)

Full Coil of 100 (only)	$41.00	785140

E Tropical Fruit 27¢ (Shown on page 21)

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/25/08 at Burlingame CA
5 designs, plate no. in every 40¹, gravure (AVR)

Full Coil of 100 (only)	$27.00	786340
First Day Covers (5, each with 2 stamps)	4.60	786363

F Bighorn Sheep 17¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/21/07 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 31¹, offset (SSP)

Full Coil of 100 (only)	$17.00	785740

A Flags of Our Nation Collector's Folder & Set 1 Stamps
Specifically designed to preserve and display all 60 stamps in the new ***Flags of Our Nation*** series, the *Collector's Folder* comes with a coil of 50 stamps from Set 1 (the first 10 designs) and mounts for all 60 stamps.

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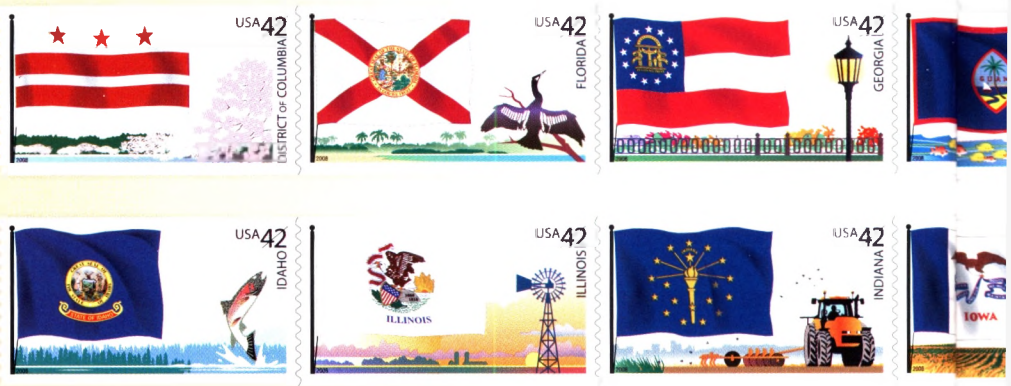

B Flags of Our Nation: Set 2

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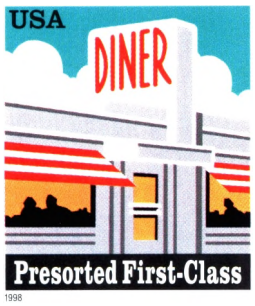

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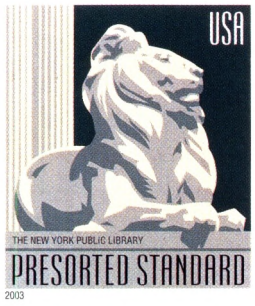

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L Patriotic Banner Presorted STD

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G American Eagle Presorted First-Class (25¢) (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/5/05 at Grand Rapids MI
10 designs, plate no. every 20*, gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (3K Coil)	$6.25	782830

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/26/03 at Santa Clara CA
10 designs, plate no. every 20*, gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$6.25	782130

H Diner Presorted First-Class (25¢)

DATE OF ISSUE: 9/30/98 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 21*, gravure (BEP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$6.25	798630

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/9/99 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 21*, gravure (BEP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (3K Coil)	$6.25	798430

J The New York Public Library Lion Presorted STD (10¢)

REPRINTED: 12/04
1 design, plate no. every 20*, gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$2.50	791831

K Atlas Rockefeller Center NYC Presorted STD (10¢) (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/29/01 at New York NY
1 design, plate no. every 20*, gravure (BCA)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$2.50	791230

REPRINTED: 10/03
1 design, plate no. every 20*, gravure (AVR)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$2.50	791231

REISSUED: 9/13/04 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 10*, gravure (AVR)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (3K Coil)	$2.50	701130

REPRINTED: 10/06
1 design, plate no. every 10*, gravure (AVR)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$2.50	791232

L Patriotic Banner Presorted STD (10¢)

DATE OF ISSUE: 7/4/07 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 31*, offset (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/plate no. (10K coil)	$2.50	784730

1 design, plate no. every 10*, gravure (AVR)

Strip of 25 w/plate no. (10K coil)	$2.50	784731
Strip of 25 w/plate no. (3K coil)	$2.50	784630

M Sea Coast Nonprofit (5¢)

DATE OF ISSUE: 10/21/02 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 20*, gravure (BCA)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$1.25	781430

REPRINTED: 6/03
1 design, plate no. every 22*, gravure (APU)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$1.25	781431

REPRINTED: 4/04
1 design, plate no. every 27*, offset (APU)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$1.25	781432

REISSUED: 4/6/04 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 27*, gravure (APU)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (3K Coil)	$1.25	782730

REPRINTED: 8/04
1 design, plate no. every 20*, gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$1.25	781433

REPRINTED: 11/04
1 design, plate no. every 27*, gravure (APU)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$1.25	781434

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WATER-ACTIVATED COILS

B American Clock

C American Toleware

D Chippendale Chair

E Silver Coffeepot

A Flags 24/7 42¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/18/08 at Washington DC
4 designs, plate no. every 12th, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 3,000	$1,260.00	786840
Strip of 25 w/plate no.	10.50	786830
Strip of 5	2.10	786820
First Day Covers (4)	3.20	786863

B American Clock 10¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 8/4/06 at Independence OH
1 design, plate no. every 14th, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 10,000	$1,000.00	784340
Strip of 25 w/ plate no.	2.50	784330
Strip of 5	.50	784320

REISSUE: 7/15/08 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 31st, offset (SSP)

Full Coil of 10,000	$1,000.00	704340
Strip of 25 w/ plate no.	2.50	704330
Strip of 5	.50	704320
First Day Cover (5 stamps)	.88	714362

C American Toleware 5¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/31/02 at McLean VA
1 design, plate no. every 14th, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 10,000	$500.00	778140
Strip of 25 w/ plate no.	1.25	778130
Strip of 5	.25	778120

D Chippendale Chair 4¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 7/19/07 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 14th, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 10,000	$400.00	785640
Strip of 25 w/plate no.	1.00	785630
Strip of 5	.20	785620

E Silver Coffeepot 3¢

DATE OF ISSUE: 9/16/05 at Milwaukee WI
1 design, plate no. every 14th, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 10,000	$300.00	782940
Strip of 25 w/ plate no.	.75	782930
Strip of 5	.15	782920

F Star 3¢ (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/7/02 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 14th, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 10,000	$300.00	781340
Strip of 25 w/ plate no.	.75	781330
Strip of 5	.15	781320

G Tiffany Lamp 1¢ (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 3/1/03 at Biloxi MS
1 design, plate no. every 14th, gravure (SSP)

Full Coil of 3,000	$30.00	781540
Strip of 25 w/ plate no.	.25	781530
Strip of 5	.05	781520

REISSUE: 6/07/08 at McLean VA
1 design, plate no. every 31st, offset (SSP)

Full Coil of 3,000	$30.00	761540
Strip of 25 w/ plate no.	.25	761530
Strip of 5	.05	761520
First Day Cover	.80	761562

A Flags 24/7

WATER-ACTIVATED COILS

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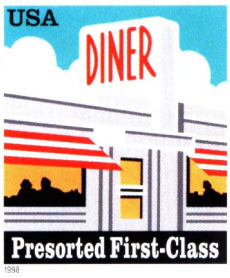

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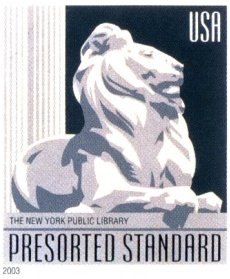

K The New York Public Library Lion Presorted STD

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L Sea Coast Nonprofit

H American Eagle Presorted First-Class (25¢) (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 5/12/04 at Washington DC
10 designs, plate no. every 10[*], gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (3K Coil)	$6.25	782530
Strip of 5	1.25	782520

J Diner Presorted First-Class (25¢)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/5/98 at McLean VA
1 design, plate no. every 14[*], gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$6.25	798530
Strip of 5	1.25	798520

K The New York Public Library Lion Presorted STD (10¢)

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/4/03 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 14[*], gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (3K Coil)	$2.50	781730
Strip of 5	.50	781720
Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (500 Coil)	2.50	781630
Strip of 5	.50	781620

L Sea Coast Nonprofit (5¢)

DATE OF ISSUE: 3/19/03 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 10[*], gravure (GFD)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$1.25	782030
Strip of 5	.25	782020
Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (500 Coil)	1.25	781830
Strip of 5	.25	781820

REPRINTED: 3/04
1 design, plate no. every 14[*], gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (10K Coil)	$1.25	782031
Strip of 5	.25	782021

REISSUED: 6/11/04 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 14[*], gravure (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (3K Coil)	$1.25	782630
Strip of 5	.25	782620

REISSUED: 9/05/08 at Washington DC
1 design, plate no. every 31[*], offset (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/ plate no. (500 Coil)	$1.25	701830
Strip of 5	.25	701820
First Day Cover (2 stamps)	.84	701862

M NEW Patriotic Banner Presorted STD (10¢) (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 2/24/09 at Washington DC 20066
1 design, plate no. every 31[*] offset (SSP)

Strip of 25 w/plate no. (500 Coil)	$2.50	787430

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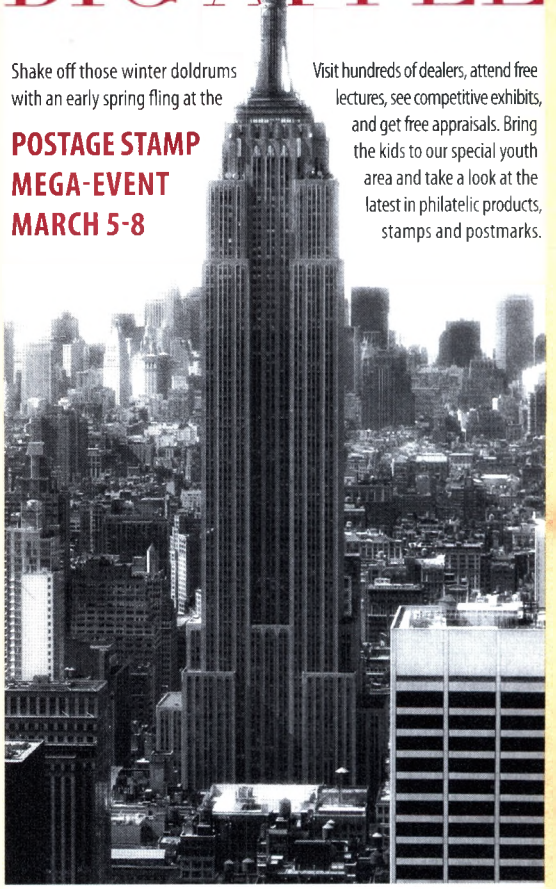

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MARCH 5-8

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DUCK STAMPS

Proceeds from the sale of the Migratory Bird Hunting and Conservation Stamp (the Federal Duck Stamp) fund the acquisition of wetlands and wildlife habitat for the National Wildlife Refuge System. Since its inception in 1934, the Federal Duck Stamp Program has generated more than $700 million for the preservation of some five million acres of American wetlands.

A Northern Pintail $15.00

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/27/08 at Hanover MD
1 design, 3 positions, no plate no.

* Pane of 20 w/selvage	$300.00	333840
* Block of 4 w/selvage	60.00	333820
Single Stamp	15.00	333810
Uncut Press Sheet	1000.00	333884
Single Stamp (Self-Adhesive)	15.00	333940
Uncut Press Sheet (Self-Adhesive)	300.00	333984
Silk Cachet	30.00	540862
Artist Commemorative Card (8" x 10")	75.00	540892
75th Anniversary Pane of 2	50.00	333889

B Ring-Necked Duck $15.00 (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/22/07 at Springfield MO

* Pane of 20 w/plate no.	$300.00	333640
* Block of 4 w/plate no.	60.00	333620
Single Stamp	15.00	333610
Uncut Press Sheet	1,320.00	333684
Single Stamp (Self-Adhesive)	15.00	333740
Uncut Press Sheet (Self-Adhesive)	396.00	333784
Silk Cachet	25.00	540762
Artist Commemorative Card (8" x 10")	50.00	540792

C Ross' Goose $15.00 (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/1/06 at Washington DC

* Pane of 20 w/ plate no.	$300.00	302140
* Block of 4 w/ plate no.	60.00	302120
Single Stamp	15.00	302110
Single Stamp (Self-Adhesive)	15.00	302240
Silk Cachet	25.00	540662
Artist Commemorative Card (8" x 10")	50.00	540692

JUNIOR DUCK STAMPS

Proceeds from the sale of Junior Duck Stamps are used to support a national art and environmental education curriculum for students in grades K–12. The first-place national winning design is selected from the Best in Show designs from each of the fifty states, the District of Columbia and U.S. territories.

D Nene $5.00

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/27/08 at Hanover MD

* Pane of 30 w/ plate no.	$150.00	540840
* Block of 4 w/ plate no.	20.00	540820
Single Stamp	5.00	540810

E American Wigeons $5.00 (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 6/22/07 at Springfield MO

* Pane of 30 w/ plate no.	$150.00	540740
* Block of 4 w/ plate no.	20.00	540720
Single Stamp	5.00	540710

* Please refer to order form to request specific plate positions.
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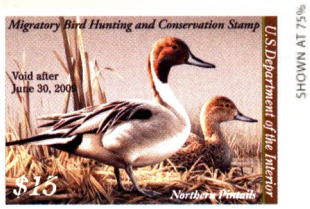

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(across from Union Station)

Hours: 10 a.m.-5:30 p.m.
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A American Scientists

A American Scientists 41¢ (Additional postage required)

DATE OF ISSUE: 03/06/08 at New York NY
4 designs, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$8.20	462240
Block of 8	3.28	462231
Strip of 4	1.64	462220
First Day Covers (4)	3.16	462263
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B Marjorie Kinnan Rawlings 41¢ (Additional postage required)

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1 design, 10 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

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1 design, gravure (AVR)

Souvenir Sheet of 12	$4.92	571340
Uncut Press Sheet	44.28	571384
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First Day Cover (Full Sheet)	7.42	571362
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4 designs, 8 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, gravure (AVR)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$8.20	569740
Block of 10	4.10	569730
Block of 4	1.64	569720
Ceremony Program	6.95	569791
Pane of 20 & 4 Digital Color Postmark First Day Covers	14.20	569799

E American Journalists 42¢ (Not Shown)

DATE OF ISSUE: 4/22/08 at Washington DC
5 designs, 9 positions, plate no. in 4 corners, offset (APU)

* Pane of 20 w/plate no. & header	$8.40	SOLD OUT
Block of 10	4.20	SOLD OUT
Strip of 5	2.10	SOLD OUT
First Day Covers (5)	4.00	462063
Pane of 20 & First Day Covers (5)	12.40	SOLD OUT
Ceremony Program	6.95	462091

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Redwood Forest	January	TBD
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Year of the Ox	January 8	New York NY
Oregon Statehood	January 14	Portland OR
Edgar Allan Poe	January 16	Richmond VA
Abraham Lincoln	February 9	Springfield IL
Civil Rights Pioneers	February 12	New York NY
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